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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant	:	Pei-Yuan Lee	
Title	:	PUNCHING APPARATUS	
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action of January 31, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.